

Joint Policy and Accountability Committee Budget Meeting

Monday, 25 January 2021, at 6.30 pm

This meeting will be held remotely – members of the public can watch live on YouTube: youtu.be/7CsybbQ-IOA

MEMBERSHIPS

Community Safety and Environment Policy and Accountability	The Economy, Housing and the Arts Policy and Accountability
Committee	Committee
Administration	
Councillor Bora Kwon (Chair)	Councillor Rory Vaughan (Chair)
Councillor Iain Cassidy	Councillor Daryl Brown
Councillor Fiona Smith	Councillor Ann Rosenberg
Councillor Ann Rosenberg	Councillor Helen Rowbottom
Opposition	
Councillor Victoria Brocklebank-Fowler	Councillor Adronie Alford

NOTE: This is a joint meeting of the Community Safety and Environment PAC and the Economy, Housing and the Arts PAC to scrutinise the 2021/22 budget proposals

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1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

2. ROLL CALL AND DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

To confirm attendance, the Chair will perform a roll call. Members will also have the opportunity to declare any interests.

If a Councillor has a disclosable pecuniary interest in a particular item, whether or not it is entered in the Authority's register of interests, or any other significant interest which they consider should be declared in the public interest, they should declare the existence and, unless it is a sensitive interest as defined in the Member Code of Conduct, the nature of the interest at the commencement of the consideration of that item or as soon as it becomes apparent.

At meetings where members of the public are allowed to be in attendance and speak, any Councillor with a disclosable pecuniary interest or other significant interest may also make representations, give evidence or answer questions about the matter. The Councillor must then withdraw immediately from the meeting before the matter is discussed and any vote taken.

Where Members of the public are not allowed to be in attendance and speak, then the Councillor with a disclosable pecuniary interest should withdraw from the meeting whilst the matter is under consideration. Councillors who have declared other significant interests should also withdraw from the meeting if they consider their continued participation in the matter would not be reasonable in the circumstances and may give rise to a perception of a conflict of interest.

Councillors are not obliged to withdraw from the meeting where a dispensation to that effect has been obtained from the Audit, Pensions and Standards Committee.

3. 2021 MEDIUM TERM FINANCIAL STRATEGY (MTFS)

This report sets out the budget proposals for the services covered by these Policy and Accountability Committees (PAC). An update is also provided on any proposed changes in fees and charges in the budget.

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